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THOS. BELLAMY

Mr. Bellamy is one of Edmonton's men, and nobody is more uniring in old times was born in Clark town-ship, in the County of Durham. When the city was very small Mr. Bellamy located here and established a branch of the Massey Harris Co. in 1872. In 1886 he started business for himself in the agricultural implement line and has met with great success. Mr. Bellamy is one of Edmonton's oldest city.

FORTY PEOPLE CLING TO RIGGING IN A RAGING LAKE BLIZZARD

Steamer Monarch Wrecked On Isle Royal and the Fate of Passengers and Crew Is Yet Uncertain---Wrecked Where the Huronic Sank--- Port Arthur Tugs to the Rescue

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 10.—The steamer Monarch of the Northern Company which left Port Arthur in a blinding snow storm Sunday night went on the rocks at Isle Royal, forty miles out of the harbor and is completely wrecked. Some forty people are on board in desperate straits. It was the last trip of the boat for the season previous to laying up at Sarnia for the winter. Word was first brought to Port Arthur by a passing steamer which turned back. They saw forty people clinging to the rigging and it is feared, owing to the severe cold weather that many lives will be lost before the tugs which went to their assistance at 4 o'clock this morning can reach the scene. A blizzard is sweeping the lake and zero weather prevails. The Monarch was built twenty years ago for the old Beatty line, she had forty thousand bushels of wheat from Parrish & Lindsay, Winnipeg, for Sarnia, and four hundred

tons of flour from Ogilvie and the Western Canada Flour Milling Co. in Winnipeg. The passengers are commercial travellers and navies on the way to the Soo. Captain Robertson, one of the oldest captains on the lakes is in command. The boat was valued at one hundred thousand dollars. Isle Royal is where the Huronic was wrecked and is a rocky island in Lake Superior and lies almost on the line dividing the United States and Canada, and at one time was the subject of a dispute between the British and American governments. In clear weather it can be seen from the deck of vessels running into Thunder Bay. It is in the neighborhood of forty miles in length and the shores are very treacherous, being surrounded by rocks that rise above the surface of the lake for several miles from its shores. It is uninhabited save for a few light-house keepers.

Heavy Voting To-day

With the mercury coyly lingering near the bulb and a gentle zephyr from the south that brought with it all the keenness and freshness of the plains, balloting commenced this morning just 15 minutes late.

The advertised time was 9 o'clock, but when the appointed hour arrived the secretary-treasurer had not reached the city office in time to sign some of the formal papers and there was a few moments of suspense during which the city machinery stood poised. Then when the signature was attached it started with a rush and for the first half hour there was a constant stream into the city hall polling booth that kept Sgt. Tidbury calling "next" like a tapscorial artist, and the election clerks as busy as a land office man in boom days.

There was trouble with the voters' lists from the very first and within the first half hour the unanimous verdict of those working on the inside was that they were unsatisfactory. Repetitions occur with startling frequency, some men being down in two subdivisions and some are even repeated on the same page. Added to this there are omissions which are so palpably wrong as to cause considerable "kicking" and discontent around the polling booth. Instances came up of names which were on last year's list which could not be found on this, and these of men whose names could be found on the assessment roll in the very next office to the polling booth.

The election workers were all out early and before the polls were opened Fraser avenue was lined and strung with team carrying banners, placards and advertisements of one kind and another, and the amount of literature in the shape of dummy ballots, election cards and platforms, that was scattered around the city hall was by no means small.

The west end polling booth started off more leisurely and sedately, but by 9:30 it was also doing a large business with a continual procession of voters, sleighs and carriages.

As the sun peeped over the tops of the high buildings along Jasper and the city commenced to feel the warmth of its rays the thermometer and the pedestrian vote came out together and before noon it was easily apparent that the biggest vote in the city's history by a large percentage, was to be cast today. The pessimists who have been asserting that the ratepayers of the city were losing interest in civic affairs were counted out early in the game and their predictions laid on the back shelf.

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BODY FOUND IN BURNING HOUSE

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—Geo. Ladouceur, a drayman, is in the police cells tonight charged with drunkenness but the charge of murder may be laid against him at any time. A double tenement frame building on Slater street was on fire last night. The brigade had it put out when about \$300 damage was done. Mrs. Blanchette was found on the floor dead. Her hair was badly singed but otherwise the fire did not seem to do her any harm. The Blanchette woman and Ladouceur have lived together. Ladouceur was found next door and was arrested. Mrs. Blanchette had two large cuts in her face, one was under the left eye and the other over the right eye. The back of her head was badly bruised. It was apparent that the woman was dead before the fire started. The fire had all the appearance of incendiary origin. Ladouceur was questioned by the police today and he gave a rambling and disconnected story as to his whereabouts before the fire. Blood was found on his coat. He is held to see what the coroner's inquest may disclose.

MEDICINE HAT SUPREME COURT

Medicine Hat, Dec. 10.—The December sittings of the Supreme Court opened in the court house Tuesday, last the Hon. Mr. Justice Harvey presiding. The following criminal cases were disposed of, King vs. Robert L. Roth. The accused was charged by M. A. Szahniser with the theft of four steers. The accused was discharged. King vs. George Coleman. In this case the accused elected to be tried by a jury, charge for setting fire to a stable in July last. The prisoner was convicted and sentenced to two years imprisonment in the Edmonton penitentiary. King vs. Tod Belden. In this case the accused was tried by a jury on the charge of aiding and abetting Coleman in setting fire to a stable. The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. King vs. Stratton. This was a charge of raising a cheque by changing it from \$6 to \$60. The agent of the attorney general entered a nolle prosequi by reason of the fact that two of the chief witnesses in the case were absent from the country.

SEVEN KILLED.

Cincinnati, Dec. 9.—A special from Bristol, Tenn., says that seven men were killed and six injured in a dynamite explosion in a tunnel on the South & West railroad near Alta Pass, N.C., today. Three of the killed are negroes.

GOLD TOO IN COBALT

Toronto, Dec. 9.—A despatch from New Liskeard says, "The keenest excitement prevails among the Temiskaming and Hudson Bay shareholders as a result of a strike of gold yesterday on the company's Cobalt property in what is known as the Kinter shaft. The assays show \$151 to the ton in gold and \$6 in silver, in a vein six feet in thickness. A shaft was being carried towards the townsite property on the 50 foot level and had progressed about 80 feet when the blast carried the men into a soft mud-like substance. The assays had been showing gold for some time and when the change of formation was reached an assay was at once decided on. In the muddy material could be seen pieces of quartz and tiny particles of free gold. The vein is within ten feet of the townsite property and yesterday the manager of the townsite company was accorded the privilege of examining the shaft."

ELECTION CHARGE EXPLODED

Calgary, Dec. 10.—An accusation by the Calgary Herald which alleged that two voters had been bribed on Friday afternoon in order to secure their votes for Mr. Riley was refuted within one hour of the issue of Saturday afternoon's paper. The two men were confronted with the gentleman whom the Conservative paper alleged had done the deed and they swore that they had never seen him before. Every indication seems to point to the supposition that the statement was entirely false and the men had seen no person at all who had offered them any money.

A considerable stir was caused here on Saturday when a weekly paper stated that the candidate who is running for the mayoralty in the Labor interest was not eligible for the position owing to the fact that he held the appointment as license commissioner. L. E. Brockeybank, who is the candidate in question immediately wired to Edmonton tendering his resignation. This was accepted by the Attorney General but the incident was an unsettling one. Everything points to a very keen contest today for the mayoralty.

BODY RECOVERED.

Port Arthur, Dec. 9.—The body of Mayor Snyder, of Dayton, Ohio, who was drowned some time ago in Whitefish Lake, while on a hunting expedition, has been recovered and is now here being prepared for shipment home. F. S. Snyder, brother of the drowned man has been prosecuting the search for the past two weeks through holes in the ice being assisted by several men engaged for the work. The body was recovered on Thursday morning and brought to town Saturday night. It will be shipped to Dayton on Tuesday.

NEW GLASGOW FIRE.

New Glasgow, U.S., Dec. 9.—Early this morning with the thermometer near zero the fire brigade was called out to fight a fire which before it had burned itself out destroyed a business block on Provost, the principal street of the town and the business places of three of the principal merchants were in ruins. The loss is \$70,000.

BISHOP SEYMOUR DEAD.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 9.—Bishop Geo. F. Seymour of the Episcopal diocese of Springfield died today after a long illness of pneumonia.

SATURDAY'S GAME A TIE.

London, Dec. 8.—At the Crystal Palace today the England and South African Rugby football teams played a tie game, each scoring one try. There was a big crowd in attendance.

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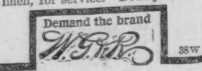
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AROUND THE CITY.

—Loyal Orange Lodge 1794 met in Houston's hall in regular session tonight.

—The grain commission today held the session in Unity Hall, Sandison Block, the council chamber being utilized for the election.

—The Epworth League of Grace church entertain the Young People's Society of Queen's Avenue Presbyterian church this evening.

—The members of the Dominion grain commission left this afternoon by the C. & E. express for Calgary where they will meet Tuesday at 10 a.m.

—Horne's open air skating rink corner of First and Clara, opens tonight at 7:30 with free skating to all and will be open thereafter every afternoon and evening. Rink is 150 X 100 feet.

—Alfred Sheppard, son of Mr. R. C. Sheppard, Strathcona met with a painful accident on Saturday afternoon by stepping on a nail which penetrated the sole of his boot and inflicted a painful wound.

—The meeting of the Edmonton city hockey league will be held on Thursday evening at 7:30 in the parlor of the Alberta Hotel. Important business will come up, including drafting of the schedule and discussion of certificates. All certificates must be in by Thursday evening.

—A sale of work will be held in All Saints school room on Thursday afternoon and evening in aid of the Women's Auxiliary. There will be offered for sale at moderate prices, fancy work, dolls, aprons, and numerous useful articles suitable for Xmas presents. Tea will be served during the afternoon and evening. Admission free.

—Mrs. McCully having secured one of the windows in A. York's real estate office, will hold a sale there of fancy and art goods on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 11 and 12. This includes pictures, sofa pillows, hand-painted china, photo frames, blotters, etc.

—The fire brigades were called out today at the noon hour to a fire at the Albert Barber shop, Jasper Avenue. The fire originated from an overheated stove pipe in the wall. It broke out through the wall and badly scorched the gable of the front building before observed. It took but a minute or so for the firemen to quench the flames. Little damage was done.

—The establishment of a Cajedonian club is interesting many Scotsmen and the meeting called for Tuesday night in Houston's hall is expected to be largely attended. The idea is to promote a popular club where every Scotman will be welcome, and on special occasions also to bring his lady friends. Though far from his native heath, the tradition of his race and the song and story that are if possible, dearer to every Scotman about than at home, are some of the objects desired to be maintained. Bagpipe music by Tom Craig.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Jos. Huff has been in Vancouver for the past week on business.

Mrs. J. B. Macmahon, who has been in Winnipeg and Prince Albert, returned the beginning of the week.

Miss Alice Cameron left this morning for Toronto, where she will attend the St. Margaret's College.

Mrs. William McDonald, of Prince Albert, with her young daughter, Dorothy, is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron.

DAY TO DAY

One would not look for commercial sagacity in a born soldier, so the news that comes from London concerning a noted soldier is not surprising. It is said that Field Marshal Viscount Wolsley, the hero of Tel-el-Kebir and a hundred other fights, whom a grateful country rewarded with \$275,000 and a peerage, is now in such straits for money that he is compelled to sell his magnificent collection of ancient arms and armor.

The collection, which includes some fine English armor from the times of James I. and Cromwell, besides many savage weapons which Lord Wolsley collected in the Sudan, Egypt and South Africa, will be sold at a London auction room this month.

Being a soldier and not a financier, Lord Wolsley has lost steadily in reckless commercial enterprises with which he has occupied himself since he vacated his position as commander-in-chief. Mortgages have been piled upon his country house, Glynde, in Sussex, and he has been compelled to accept the King's grant of apartments at Hampton Court palace which is a kind of royal alms-house.

BOOKS AS HOLIDAY GIFTS.

One of the best gifts possible to confer on any child, boy or girl, is a taste for good reading. But it is worth while to remember that such a taste is not to be given or received readily made, like a toy on a Christmas tree. It can only be given, so to speak, in embryo, and then all fostering influences must be invoked to keep it growing.

One of the best of these is the personal ownership of books. No public library ever takes the place of one's own well-thumbed volumes. Books that open friendly to the touch of familiar fingers, soon grow dear. It is on this account that the first books owned by the tiny boy or girl are easily chief among formative influences. That mother is wise who sees

MORE SURVEYORS FROM YELLOWHEAD

Betts Party Arrives From Pass Saturday Night After Having Cold Tramp, Other Parties Out

The Betts survey party, which has been working all summer in the Yellowhead Pass, reached the city on Saturday after a 250-mile tramp with the thermometer anywhere from zero to thirty below zero. As the Federal survey party is already in, this pretty nearly clears the pass of surveyors. From among the members of the parties working in the mountains, however, two new parties were formed at Lobstick lake to work back westward again. They will swing the location line between Lobstick and the McLeod, some 50 or 60 miles north of where it was originally laid down, a work which will keep them busy all winter.

HOCKEY PRACTICE.

The first practice of the senior hockey club tonight at 7:45 p.m. All players are requested to come to the dressing-rooms at the stage end of the Thistle rink by that hour.

ELK OFFICERS.

Calgary, Dec. 8.—The Elks Grand lodge met in the Oddfellows hall last night and elected officers:
 Grand exalted ruler, Chas. A. August; grand past exalted ruler, W. G. Henry, Edmonton; grand esteemed lecturing knight, F. Kenny, Lethbridge; grand esteemed loyal knight, G. Y. Jackson, Edmonton; grand esteemed leading knight, W. F. Wainman, Calgary; grand chaplain, E. A. Sherman, Lethbridge; grand treasurer, John Morris, Edmonton; grand secretary, M. F. Oliver, Calgary; grand acquirer, R. W. Wallace, Lethbridge; grand inside guard, C. P. Strong; grand tyler, O. G. Devanah, Calgary; grand aid, J. K. Cornwall, Edmonton.

NEW QUARTERS FOR POST OFFICE.

The new post office at the corner of Rice and McDougall streets was opened to the public this morning. The transfer from the old office was made between the hour of closing Saturday evening, and the hour of opening this morning at 8 o'clock.

The new office will give greatly increased accommodation and improved facilities for the assortment and distribution of mail.

A change that will promote this is a separate enclosed space for registered mail and money orders, insuring prompt and safe delivery of such post office matter.

The space devoted to general delivery of letters has been increased, and three lockers are installed in place of two in the old office. There is greater separation made of the letters so that the clerk will not have to look over such a bundle when inquiry is made at the wicket for a letter. The space set aside for distributing newspapers is divided from the letter department. Two lockers and three times the space occupied in the old office has been provided.

On the north side of the rotunda is a large wicket which will be used for delivery of parcels and also to answer inquiries from the public. At the rear of the new building is the mail bag room for which additional racks have been provided enabling the operating to make quicker and easier delivery of mail for outside points. Six hundred new letter boxes will be installed shortly, making a total of 1750, when this is done.

her opportunity in this line and uses it.

In some bookish children this early love for one's own books becomes almost a passion. A lad starting for college tenderly tucked an old, tattered "Barnes' History" into his going-away trunk.

"It has associations, mother," he laughed, apologetically. "You know it was my first 'history book'."

The treasured volume is not apt to be a school book, but, whether it is—story or picture book or poem—it should somehow be touched with the festive spirit, and so, from the very beginning, have "associations." The beautiful custom in some families of marking each recurring birthday with some addition to the childish library, is an easy way of accomplishing this. Friends of the family are apt to fall into the fashion, and books come from many sources. It is often interesting to note the child's mental growth from the yearly accretions.

Of course one need not foist one's own tastes upon a child, or insist always on the choice between a Bible and a jack-knife. Give him both. In these days of cheap printing, books are not hard to come by, and no other possession is so durable.

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 Corner on 2nd street, south of railway, \$4,500.00 cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Price \$10,000.00.
 2 inside lots on 2nd street, one next corner. Price \$3,000.00 each. Easy terms.
 5 lots, block 2, north of railway, switch property from \$1,200.00.
 2 lots on 8th street, South of Victoria; \$3,000.00 each.
 Lots, Fraser and Namay, from \$1,200.00.
 Lots on First street, south of railway, with good house, \$300.00 per ft. New Norwood lots; over \$40,000 worth sold in seven weeks. Prices from \$250.00; \$250.00 cash, balance \$5.00 per month without interest. Five years to pay for the lots. A chance for the poor man as well as the speculator. The city is built right up to this property and it is all within the corporation limits.

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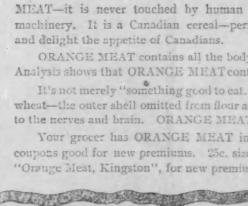
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TWENTY VESSELS FROZEN IN

Sault Ste Marie, Mich., Dec. 9.—Twenty vessels are caught in the ice in the St. Mary's river, the cold snap of the past few days having caused from six to eight inches of ice to form. The Lake Carriers' association has formed an ice crushing expedition to attempt to relieve the imprisoned boats.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 9.—The passenger steamer Ionic, belonging to the Northern Navigation company, ran ashore today on Lake Superior in a snow storm, a mile and a half from Whitefish Point. Wrecking tugs have been sent to her assistance. The steamer McLouth and Michigan, reported wrecked, are safe at Marquette.

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 7.—Word was received here today of the wrecking of the steamer Golspie in Brule Bay, Lake Superior. The vessel is a total loss. It is reported that the captain and crew experienced awful hardships in reaching shore. The thermometer was twenty below zero. Several of the men were badly frozen.

WINNIPEG SHOOTING

Winnipeg, Dec. 9.—Ethel Blackburn, colored, was shot and seriously injured at eight o'clock this evening by a white companion named Isaac T. White at a resort at 300 Stanley street. The two were quarrelling and during a struggle White drew a revolver and shot the woman. He has been placed under arrest along with another colored woman, Cora Smith, who was present at the time of the shooting. The bullet struck the Blackburn woman behind the left ear but glanced from the skull. She was taken to the General hospital. White and the Smith woman were taken to the jail. The shoes which he was wearing at the time of his arrest were tried in the footprints in front of the house and fitted exactly. The pistol with which the deed was done has also been found where it had been concealed.

UNMAPPED ISLAND

New York, Dec. 9.—Commander Robt. E. Peary in a public lecture given here tonight upon his latest attempt to reach the North pole said that he was satisfied that there was a large body of land somewhere about a hundred miles north-west of Greenland. In the open polar sea he had found a quantity of driftwood which he believed had come from a river flowing from a land not yet placed on the map.

COTTON-WORKERS WANT A RAISE.

New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 9.—The textile council tonight refused the offer of the cotton manufacturers to grant a seven percent increase in wages. They are holding out for an increase of ten per cent.

SQUADRON AT TANGIER.

Tangier, Dec. 9.—The French naval division has arrived here. A Moorish man-of-war with a strong reinforcement of government troops is expected here in a short time.

COKE SUPPLY RESUMED.

Rossland, B.C., Dec. 9.—Two copper furnaces were put in this week and two more will be in operation within the next week or ten days. Coke is now coming freely from the ovens of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. The ore shipments for the past week were 3,540 tons.

VOLUNTARY RAISE.

Houghton, Mich. Dec. 8.—Today the Copper Range Consolidation announced an increase in wages to the men of five per cent. Nearly four thousand men are affected. The raise was not asked for by the men and came as a big surprise to them.

TERRORISTS ARRESTED.

Warsaw, Dec. 9.—A military raid on the ironworks here resulted in the arrest of ninety terrorists and the breaking up of a strong band. Many of those arrested are suspected of being implicated in the recent murders and robberies. A large amount of ammunition and arms were confiscated.

GOING ABROAD.

New York, Dec. 9.—One thousand American school teachers will go abroad next year to study the methods employed in Europe.

COLORADO FLOOD.

Imperial Col., Dec. 9.—The flood situation at Calexico where the Colorado river is flooding the surrounding country is tonight said to be very serious. The water is raising rapidly and there is danger that the flood gates recently put in by the Southern Pacific may give away and allow the flood waters to flow into the Imperial Valley basin again.

COAL SCARCE IN NORTH DAKOTA.

Minot, N.D., Dec. 9.—The fuel famine in Minot and the northwest part of North Dakota is assuming serious proportions. The transcontinental lines are compelled to confiscate coal held by the Minot dealers in order to keep their trains running. It is reported that several stations along the railway are short on coal. The weather is very cold.

SEPARATION LAW MAY CAUSE TROUBLE.

Paris, Dec. 9.—On Tuesday the church and state separation law will come into effect and on the following days will be enforced in the various provinces. The government is facing the situation with firmness but great disorders are expected. There are many complications in the enforcement of the law.

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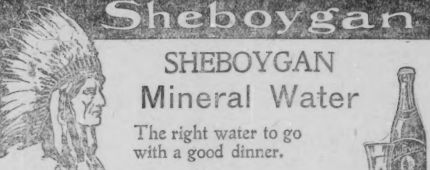
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GRAIN COMMISSION HELD SESSION

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The second session of the Dominion Grain Commission in Alberta opened Saturday in the Council Chamber of the City Hall. Those present on the Commission were Mr. John Miller, Chairman of the Commission, Indian Head; Mr. G. E. Goldie, Commissioner, Ayr, Ont.; Mr. J. R. Boyce, M.P.P., Secretary, Edmonton; Mr. Neale, official stenographer, Toronto; Mr. McNair, Gladstone, Manitoba; the third member of the Commission has not yet arrived. His train from the C.P.R. will arrive this afternoon 10 hours late.

Mr. Miller in opening the session stated the scope of the Commission was wide, and incidentally the matters pertaining to the grain trade. He invited the fullest and frankest discussion.

Mr. Warner President of the Central Alberta Farmers Association was the first witness examined. Mr. Warner read a statement on behalf his association to the Commission. He thanked the Commission for their visit and for solicited of the Government in attempting to arrive at a solution of the farmers' difficulties. The grain producers in Alberta were at a disadvantage compared with those in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. The present methods of the grain trade were unsatisfactory. For example last summer when there were bright prospects for a bumper crop, the farmers knew that the grain dealers were conspiring to control the market for grain. The A.P.A. asked the provincial Government to investigate conditions in the west and as a result a commission was appointed to do. After a thorough study the commission recommended that a partial solution from the present conditions would be obtained by establishing terminal elevators at the coast cities for the following reasons:—

1) The Pacific ports are open the year round. 2) They are closer to the grain district concerned. 3) The increase of trade to the Orient and the large coast trade to the north now done by Seattle and San Francisco. 4) It will be the cheapest water route to Europe when Panama Canal is completed. 5) Terminal elevators are necessary because the grain at the coast cannot be kept in good condition in bags. The air is too humid, and the grain requires frequent shifting which can only be done in an up-to-date elevator.

There is a part of British Columbia where terminal elevators would not serve—such as Golden, Revelstoke and Nelson. At these points he recommended the establishment of public warehouses. If private enterprises do not come to the solution, the Government should establish these public elevators.

He further stated that on account of the low quotations for oats here farmers were compelled to ship east away from their natural market. This he argued would cause a shortage in the B.C. market and curtail the lumber trade to Alberta. The B.C. consumer is anxious to trade his fruit and lumber for the Alberta farmer's oats, and a good price for these requires a better market for his products.

The local dealers had made it very hard for the farmer by quoting very low prices until the greater part of the grain is in their hands, when the price is raised to give them a handsome take off.

Questioned by the Commission Mr. Warner said of the farmers' losses not satisfied with the railway rates. It amounted to the bushel to Vancouver. He would not venture an expert opinion that this was unjust.

Mr. Goldie said he was surprised to find the rate was the same from Edmonton and Calgary to Vancouver, namely 12 1/2 cents per cwt.

The farmers here fear to ship west because the market is manipulated at both ends by the same firms.

Again, there was difficulty in grading the oats as they were nearly all shipped in bags. The grain was mostly sold from samples. He advocated the shipping of bulk. He had no complaints as to the weights given at Calgary.

Wm. F. Stevens, secretary of the A. P. A., was next examined. He said that he was convinced that Alberta was entitled to a different classification of oats than Manitoba. At the seed fair here last year samples of Manitoba and Alberta oats were on exhibition and it was shown Alberta oats were of superior quality, especially in the weight. No. 1 Manitoba, 48 lbs. to the bushel. In Alberta such oats would not be fed to horses. 44 lbs. is a common weight in this province, tested by the regulation grain tester. The farmers had any quantity of this quality. He said that a new grade be made called extra No. 1 Alberta White, weighing not less than 42 lbs. to the measure bushel.

Mr. Stevens also spoke on the disposition of screenings. The screens used by the millers at present remove a large quantity of good grain along with the poisonous weeds. The mills have allowed the farmer to take his screenings home. He knew of a farmer who cleaned up 25 bushels of good grain from the mill screenings and resold it at the mill. This practically amounted to five per cent of the crop. His objection also was that such screenings often were ground and came into competition with the barley crop as feed. He thought that the growing of barley should be encouraged, as it was an excellent crop to clean out weeds. The screenings should be returned to the farmer. Mr. Miller suggested this would promote the spread of poisonous seeds. Mr. Stevens thought it would do so any more than allowing the farmer to do his own screening.

Regarding the weights given by shipper Mr. Stevens had no complaint except that sometimes the local dealers wantonly and indifferently throw off odd pounds. Until this year wheat was not exported and the price generally ranged a little above Winnipeg prices, but this year it had been reduced to an export basis. The millers and the farmers have disagreed on the grain and quality, so farmers have begun shipping on their own account to Fort William. The results of this action cannot yet be ascertained. An inspector is needed here who will properly and authoritatively define the grade.

The following address from the Central Alberta Farmers Association was presented by Mr. Warner. Edmonton, Dec. 8, 1906. To the Members of the Royal Grain Commission: Gentlemen: The grain producers of Alberta have difficulties of one kind and another to contend with and I believe that, as president of the Central Alberta Farmers Association, I voice the sentiments of the farmers when I say they feel grateful for this opportunity of laying their grievances before your honorable body in the hope that some of the wrongs we have suffered may be righted. There can be no question that the producer in Alberta is at a disadvantage when compared with his brother in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, because he has a much longer railway haul to the coast. Then the grain dealers have made it very hard for us by quoting very low prices until the greater part of the grain was in their hands when the price is generally raised so as to make a big take off for them. Until last year the farmers were selling their grain to the local dealers without question, but since then the Alberta Farmers Association has been investigating the grain trade to some extent and the light which has been thrown on the subject leads us to believe that the present methods are very unsatisfactory. Last summer when crops were looking very promising, though in no way extraordinary so for this section, you would hear remarks passed upon the streets about the fine crops, and while everyone seemed to be elated over the prospects, the grain dealers, in our opinion, were quietly arranging for the control of the western market for the new crop of oats. The officers of the Central Association thought they could see their game, and so began to talk about it amongst themselves and to figure out some way to prevent the very low price of grain talked of by the dealers. We concluded to ask the Provincial Government to investigate our natural market to the west. The Government took prompt action in the matter and sent an agent into British Columbia to find out what could be done.

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GRAIN COMMISSION

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that it has been able to prevent the very low price talked of early in the season. Our efforts, however, are not sufficient to put the trade on a firm basis without Government aid in some way. The local Alberta Farmers Association have their representatives here today to lay their complaints before you, but as president of the Conference, I would like to deal with a subject which I feel to be of provincial importance, and one in which the Alberta Farmers Association become directly interested immediately after its organization and one which we must look to the Dominion Parliament to remedy. Being the Provincial Government's representative to study the markets in British Columbia I feel that there is need for terminal elevators at Vancouver at the present time. I have studied this question very thoroughly, and would offer, among others, the following reasons for their erection.

1 The open port the year through.
2 Its proximity to the grain raising districts—only six hundred and forty miles from Calgary, while the distance is twice that from the same place to the terminals on the Great Lakes. Thus the latter are frozen four or five months in the year.

3 The advantage of having a public place where shippers will have assurance of storage room and privileges which cannot be denied them.

4 The use of an up-to-date elevator for handling and storing grain in good condition, particularly as I am told that it is very hard to store grain properly in an ordinary warehouse on the coast. At the present time nearly all grain going to Vancouver is handled in bags, and when a little out of condition it is very expensive, as well as troublesome, to save it. If it were in a terminal elevator it could be shifted from one bin to another without much expense. Oats especially require careful handling. The moist air of the coast causes them to gain considerably in weight, and great care must be taken in handling them.

5 Terminal elevators would make it possible to increase our trade across the water in Australia, and other parts of the world, and also to secure a larger share of the North Coast trade which goes to Seattle, Washington.

6 The producer in Alberta and the consumer in British Columbia, would not be at the mercy of the grain dealers, who know the ropes so well that if any outsider tries to do any shipping, they quote grain so low to intending buyers that it questions the would-be competitor out.

I think these reasons are amply sufficient to justify your honorable body in recommending to the Dominion Government the establishment of terminal elevators at the Pacific Coast under the provisions of the grain acts.

There is, however, a part of British Columbia which the terminals would not provide for. The central portion tributary to Revelstoke and vicinity, and perhaps Golden east, and other points west on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and Nelson, and other places on the Crow's Nest branch in Southern British Columbia. At these places we would naturally have warehouses to operate similar to terminal elevators. Anyone wanting to put grain in store at a moderate charge could do so. If no private party had, or cared to erect, said warehouses for public use, then let the Government provide such at moderate cost. The climate conditions are different in this section. Almost any kind of grain will keep with little care in bags or other ways. We think this would be a decided improvement over the present way.

On account of the low quotations for oats by the dealers, farmers cannot get into the British Columbia markets regularly with any quantity, therefore they are sending east much of the supply of oats that should go west under natural conditions. Instead, then, of a fair demand and good prices for Alberta oats there may be a shortage, thereby curtailing the lumber business which will react on the Alberta lumber trade. The farmer will not be to blame in such a case if it does happen that too large a quantity is shipped east, because he must look out for himself.

Another fact that is self evident, is that the grain cannot be inspected in bags as it is too much trouble to examine each bag. When sold on sample as at present, it is quite a temptation to some purchasers to take advantage by saying the car is not up to sample. Then the shipper, in a hurry to get out, and no place to store, is in a bad position until the controversy is settled. No such thing could happen if there were terminals, and the public warehouses were built. When a certain grade was stored or sold, and that grade decayed by a Dominion Inspector, it would have to go as such without question.

When the British Columbia people can buy Alberta grain at a low price they do it, unless they are under some peculiar obligation. In talking with many of the consumers of grain I was told by them that they wanted to see the Alberta farmer get a fair price for his products, and that they were willing he should get it, because they depend largely on Alberta to consume their lumber and fruit, and a good price for our grain puts us in a better position to buy and to use more of their products. The extra price which they pay for grain, which is nearly all feed, is a decided benefit to them. Alberta farmer as I was, I felt pleased to see them as broad minded. I believe the people all large throughout the province are with the farmer in this matter, so I can come to no other conclusion for our grain trade in British Columbia being in the condition it is other than the will and work of the grain dealer to have it so. He would be unable to do this to so great an extent if we had terminals established on the coast. With the completion of the Panama Canal, for which we have not long to wait, the western Canadian surplus will go that route to Liverpool without doubt.

I do not complain of the grain dealer with the idea of abusing him, but to show the necessity for reform in the grain trade between British Columbia and Alberta.

D. W. WARNER,
President of the Central Alberta Farmers' Association.
Mr. Rice Sheppard, secretary of the Strathcona branch of the A. F. A.

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submitted two resolutions from the association. The first resolution stated it was the common practice of grain buyers to forbid admittance to the room where the farmers' grain was weighed, and asked that such practice be declared illegal.

The second resolution was as follows: "The members of the association have reason to complain that the grain buyers are not filling the weigh bills of loads of grain sold to them by farmers. The grain act requires that gross weight, dockage and net weight shall be given on bills. This is very seldom done, and the farmer has nothing to show what amount of dockage has been taken, and much advantage is taken of the farmer in this way. It would be a cause of much friction between the farmers and buyers should the farmers insist on the bill being filled out properly, and we suggest that some person appointed by the Government should examine such weigh bills, and when found not properly filled out, proceedings should be taken against the buyer and a fine imposed."

In reply to Mr. Sheppard Mr. Goldie pointed out that there was such an officer in Winnipeg, who did nothing else, and Mr. Millar said a man trained through the country attempting to show what amount of dockage has been taken, and much advantage is taken of the farmer in this way. It would be a cause of much friction between the farmers and buyers should the farmers insist on the bill being filled out properly, and we suggest that some person appointed by the Government should examine such weigh bills, and when found not properly filled out, proceedings should be taken against the buyer and a fine imposed."

When the commission resumed in the afternoon Mr. E. W. McNair was present having arrived over the C. P. R. during the luncheon hour.

Mr. Rice Sheppard, secretary of the Strathcona branch of the A. F. A., was recalled. He cited a case where a farmer living near Strathcona, checked the weights received from the grain dealer by also weighing on the town scales, and discovered he was short 150 lbs. The difference was due to discrepancy in weights and also due to a smaller price being paid than was agreed. Half the discrepancy in price was due to a discrepancy in weight. Mr. Sheppard cited it as a common practice that local grain dealers made verbal agreements to take a farmer's grain at a certain price, and then when the grain was marketed they generally paid a cent or so below the price verbally agreed upon. He further stated that if any competitor raised the price, the grain dealers suddenly ran up the prices to close the other fellow out. They could easily afford to do this, as they made such profits in the manufacture of oats into oatmeal. They would even go as high as 40 cents.

REBATES TO MILLERS
He thought the railway rate of 35 cents for Fort William was too high, and that grain dealers receive a rebate on these rates from the C. P. R.

GRADING UNSATISFACTORY
The farmers were not satisfied with the grading of oats made by the local dealers. Mr. Sheppard stated he had a sample of oats to the Brackman-Kor elevator. He was offered 22 1/2c, the price for feed oats. He sent a sample of the same oats to the government grain inspector at Winnipeg. He graded them No. 1 milling oats, and added in his report that they were a pretty sample. These oats were sold for 42 1/2c in Fort William. It was in favor of a higher classification for Alberta oats, viz. Extra No. 1 white Alberta, 42 lbs. to the bushel. This district could turn out an unlimited quantity of such oats. The Clover Bar district were shipping 75,000 to 100,000 bushels this season.

SOUTH AFRICAN SHIPMENTS
Mr. James E. McEachern was next called. He was questioned re the shipment of oats made to south Africa during the war. The government purchased the oats here and set the minimum weight at 49 1/2 lbs. to the bushel. They had no trouble in getting a sufficient quantity of that quality. Many samples were 40 and 41 lbs. He said the millers refused the oats that year because it was alleged they were frost-bitten. Questioned as to the vitality of frost-bitten oats Mr. McEachern thought frost-bitten oats had not the virtue of germinating power of the unfrosted, and he would prefer sowing oats that were lighter and which were unfrosted. The frost does not destroy the feeding value of the oats, but hurts them for milling. The oat meal makes "sloppy" porridge.

Questioned as to the effect of frost on the keeping qualities of the oats, Mr. McEachern could not give any exact knowledge based on observation. Weight was not the only consideration in estimating the quality of oats. Soundness is as important as weight. He would recommend incorporating the word sound in describing the grade in the Grain Act.

LONG AND SHORT OATS.
Mr. C. Nairn, manager of the Alberta Milling Co., Edmonton spoke for the grain buyers. He said he had no oatmeal oats during the last two years in Edmonton, and that the average weight was about 41 lbs. per measured bushel. He thought 42 lbs. was a little high. He referred to long and short oats and said the miller preferred the long oats as they had thinner hulls. It was hard to mill short and long oats together. Yet it was almost impossible to separate them. This might probably be done by putting a higher value on the long oats—say 2c. Mr. Nairn stated that he seldom had disputes with farmers regarding weights. He figured that about one per cent of the farmers would kick anyway. The rest were extremely fair and square. His weights had several times been checked by the city scales with satisfaction to both parties. He thought the city scales in Edmonton were pretty accurate. He would be satisfied to accept a public weighing scales under a government inspector or operator.

B.C. MARKET LIMITED
Mr. Nairn in discussing the B.C. market stated it was limited and was lessening from the Edmonton district since the southern part of the province had begun growing grain. The natural market of Northern Alberta is the east. Still the projection of our railway system to the Pacific seaboard when an expansion in the Orient is anticipated. The present rates were favorable to such an expansion and gave us competition with Washington Territory and Oregon. The rate from Edmonton to Vancouver and thence to any Asiatic port is 40 cents per 100 lbs. From Seattle and Portland and inland points in the seaboard states it was 32 cents.

GRAIN INSPECTOR NEEDED
Mr. Nairn supported the idea of having a grain inspector here. Even though the office would not be self sustaining during the first year or two he was assured it soon would become so. It is very unsatisfactory to buy from samples. An inspector would do

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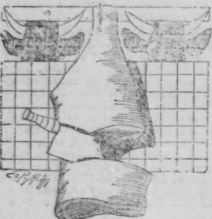


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FROM DAY TO DAY

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Lovers of Dickens will learn with delight that the original of "Little Dorrit" is still alive. She will next week open at Lillington a sale of work the object of which is to raise funds to provide an infirmary for industrial homes for boys.

Mrs. Mary Ann Cooper, who has just celebrated her 94th birthday, is the daughter of a farmer named Milton, who farmed at Sunbury-on-Thames, and she and Charles Dickens were boy and girl friends. Mrs. Cooper has been a widow for more than twenty years. Some of her most cherished possessions are mementos of Dickens, "My Charles," she calls him.

When Mrs. Cooper was a little girl her parents moved to Johnson street, Clarendon square, London, and opposite them lived the Dickens family. Dickens was a constant visitor to the farm at Sunbury, and Mrs. Cooper still retains the bed on which he used to sleep there.

She tells with glee how once, when Dickens was paying a visit to Sunbury, he disguised himself in laborer's clothes and begged work from her father. The latter had no conception of the identity of the applicant and said that, though he could not give him work he would allow the laborer to sleep on some straw in the barn.

This was probably one of Dickens' earliest adventures in the histrionic art, of which he later became so fond. She remembers going with "My Charles" to the new St. Pancras church, outside of which there was a very inflated and pompous beadle, whom he used to imitate. Here, probably, was the original of the immortal Mr. Bumble.

She remembers Dickens playing pranks with a girls' school out walking, buying them apples in order to horrify the head mistress. Her recollection of him is of a frolicsome youth, full of vitality and exuberance and always playing tricks. He was always great at nicknames. "I was always 'Dorrit' and 'Little Dorrit' to him," she says. "We were very fond of each other and he often said, 'I'll write a book about you, and I shall call it 'Little Dorrit.'"

GRAIN COMMISSION

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away with the friction re grading. Some farmers cannot understand why wheat with a few small balls in it is rejected. They think it should not be so until it is tagged.

DOCKAGE AND SHRINKAGE. At this point an intricate argument arose between Mr. Nairn and the Commission on dockage and shrinkage. Mr. Miller wanted to know if the miller or grain dealer could not pay the farmer what he actually accepted from the miller, mind dockage or shrinkage. Mr. Nairn thought this was impracticable. No matter how carefully the grain was weighed out at the shipping point, there was generally a small shrinkage when weighing in at the elevator. Then there was the actual shrinkage. Oats in three months shrank two pounds to the bushel and wheat also showed a considerable shrinkage. The shrinkage was guarded against by paying 5c. a bushel less. If a buyer were buying for a corporation he would have to reduce the price still more because the corporations generally made the buyer sign bonds to give an account of all the grain he weighed in. Though this is illegal many buyers are ignorant of that fact. This militates against the producer as the buyer is tempted to buy short to make up for shrinkage.

DOMESTIC FLOUR

Some of the Alberta mill stuff find a market in B.C. where they come into competition with established brands like Ogilvie's and Lake of the Woods from Manitoba Mills. The Manitoba mills usually had harder wheat. The difficulty here is that farmers persist in sowing hybrid varieties of wheat in Ladoga, Preston and Huron. Still Alberta mills make a better domestic flour and are able to make a fine strong baker's by mixing with a little hard wheat. Little No. 1 hard is grown here. Alberta grain generally grades 1 and 2 northern. This is due to so much new and scrub land, and as cropping continues the grade and quality of the wheat will improve. Tests made of Alberta flour have shown a high per centage of starch compared with the gluten.

CITY SCALES

Mr. E. Grison, city market clerk, rated his experience with farmers who use the city scales to check the weights they receive from the millers. He said that there was general satisfaction. The city scales were inspected once a year and were satisfactory accurate. The greatest difference he could call to mind was two bushels, and one recent case was one of 50 lbs. of a discrepancy in weight.

THREE GRAIN INSPECTORS

Mr. D. W. Warner took the stand again. He supported the appointment of government grain inspectors at Edmonton, Calgary, and some point entering the Crown's West Pass to grade the grain as it was bagged for shipment at these points. Even if the inspection dues were insufficient, the government should maintain the office. The small dealers in B. C. are not satisfied to buy from samples. They want grain grades, and test an inspector would be a guarantee against getting fraud.

He stated that the mills here often purchased oats at feeding prices, after which they sorted them and thus were able to get good milling oats at cheap prices. He denied that the oats grown in Edmonton were all frosted the year they were sent to South Africa. He

It need hardly be added, of course, that the adventures of "Little Dorrit," child of Marshalsea, had no foundation in fact as regards Mrs. Cooper. "What I like about you, 'Little Dorrit,'" Dickens would say to her, "is that you are natural. Modern girls are affected and modish. Always be natural."

SOCIAL.

Mrs. Walter Scott, who has been for the past fortnight the guest of Mrs. Bulyea at Government House, leaves for home today.

At Government House on Saturday night the Lieutenant Governor entertained at dinner for the members of the Grain Commission. The guests included Mr. E. W. Goldie, Mr. John Millar, Mr. E. W. MacNair, Mr. Geo. Harcourt, Mr. J. R. Boyle, M.P.P., Mr. W. F. Stevens, Mr. Field, Mr. D. W. Warner, Mr. McGillicuddy, Mr. Fielders.

Misses Dora and Miss Claire Oliver were the hostesses at a large tea in Ottawa recently. The artistic rooms of their Ottawa home were decorated with palms and chrysanthemums. Miss Marjorie Powell and Miss Elsie Ritchie presided at the tea tables. Among the guests were Mrs. Hanbury-Williams, Miss Ewart, Miss Kirchhoffer, Miss Mary Davies, Miss Elinor Taylor, of Edmonton, and Miss Edith Fielding.

The circle of "not-outs" who have been enjoying a round of dances at their various homes, were entertained on Friday night by Mrs. Graydon. Mrs. Charles May assisted Mrs. Graydon in attending to the young guests' amusement. An orchestra provided the music for the dance. The list of guests included the Misses Beck, Joan Macdonald, Phyllis Barnes, Emily Bown, Norah Campbell, the Misses Manuel, Maxine Morris, Dorothy Greenwood, Alice May, the Misses Silas, the Misses Harrison, Dawson and Mercer; Messrs. Christie, Saunders, Jellett, Taylor, Walbridge, Beck, McDougall, Dawson, Manuel, McKenney, Gauvreau, Silas and Coper.

sowed some of those very oats and 85 per cent grew, and the foreman at present on his farm, who was a veterinary in the South African war, fed the Alberta oats to the horses, and declared they were the best oats they were the best oats they had.

CLASSIFICATION. In classifying oats he would have two bases of classification—sound milling, and feeding oats. This concluded the work of taking evidence, and the commission adjourned until Monday.

ALBERTA OATS

On Saturday afternoon the members of the grain commission were asked by the farmers present to test the samples of Alberta oats that were on exhibition. Mr. Goldie, who is a practical miller, conducted the test. Fifteen samples were tested, taken from all parts of the Edmonton district. The oats were samples taken in this condition in which they left the threshing machine. The highest test was from a mixed sample prepared by Mr. D. W. Warner, who visited some half dozen bins promiscuously around Clover Bar. This sample recorded 45 1-4 lbs. to the measured bushel. The lowest record was 40 3-4 by an unknown variety grown by F. G. Ferris, at Conjurung Creek, on new land.

A test was also made of a sample of No. 1 Manitoba cleaned to grade. This was a standard sample from the office of the chief grain inspector, Winnipeg, and tested 44 1-4 lbs. or one pound less, and tested 44 1-4 lbs. or one pound less, to the Alberta mixed variety. No. 1 cleaned to grade. The sample of the No. 1 Manitoba could be more properly compared with a sample submitted by Roy McAllister, of East Edmonton, which was cleaned and tested 46 pounds or 13-4 lbs in excess of the standard No. 1 of Manitoba.

Fifteen samples were tested, giving an average of 42 7/8 lbs. to the measured bushel. The following is the list of the tests:

1. Sample of Banner, uncleaned, Roy McAllister, East Edmonton, 44 lbs., cleaned 46 lbs.
2. Sample uncleaned, Rice Sheppard, Strathcona, 43 3-4 lbs.
3. Sample uncleaned, D. S. Fulton, 44 lbs.
4. Sample Big Four, uncleaned, Wm. Johnston, East Edmonton, 45 lbs.
5. Sample Banner, uncleaned, D. W. Warner, Edmonton, 45 1-4 lbs.
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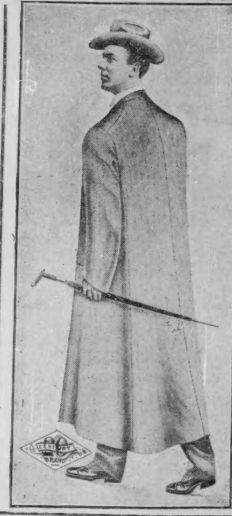
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